

1    **Abstract of Disclosure**

2    A reclining apparatus is provided between a post and a seat of a chair.  
3    The reclining apparatus includes a first joint for attachment to the post, a  
4    second joint pivotally connected with the first joint for supporting the seat  
5    and a locking device for locking the second joint in one of several  
6    reclined positions relative to the casing.

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